

Regarding then proposed new bands in Docket 02-98 I feel that the new domestic band from 5250Khz to 5400Khz should be limited to 200 watts. If this is to be a domestic band (at least for the time being) then 200 watts is adequate power to reach from coast to coast.

This puts the emphasis on having a good antenna as it should. I also believe access should not be limited but open to all - General and Extra class.

The very low frequency bands are available now to Canada and Europe
We should adopt the same limitations as in Europe with regard to antenna size and ERP on 135.7 to 137.8. The only activity on the 160 to 190 Khz band are old intercom and baby monitors. I think a 100 foot antenna length and 100watts is a good limit to power. On both access should include General and Higher.

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